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STRENGTH OF A BOND MADE BY A SMALL
DIAMETER WIRE IN BALL BONDING

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

This Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is submitted in response to an Office Action mailed on July 13, 2004 having a time period for response ending on October 13, 2004.

Please amend the patent application as indicated below.